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THIS WEEK.

ST. CLOUD, OSCEOLA COUNTY, FLORIDA, THURSDAY MAY 27, 1920.

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CARY A. HARDEE, SPEAKS SATURDAY

Hon. Cary A. Hardee has advised the Tribune that he will arrive in St. Cloud Saturday afternoon to address the citizens and voters in behalf of his candidacy for the office of Governor of Florida, and permission has been given for his address to be made at the Grand Army hall, just at the close of the regular Saturday afternoon meeting of the Veterans' association, which is due to close at 4 p. m.

Mr. Hardee has been touring the state for the past several weeks and has been greeted by large audiences wherever he has spoken and has made great headway as a candidate in the primary of June 8.

From reports throughout the state Mr. Hardee has gained ground until now he is conceded to be the leading candidate for governor, and his address here Saturday will be of interest to all the voters.

Only one other candidate for this office has visited St. Cloud since the campaign began and on that occasion he spoke in a church.

Mr. Hardee is a business man that has made a success of his own affairs and has served the state as a member of the legislature, being made speaker at two succeeding sessions, the last time without opposition. As a lawmak-



er he has a reputation that shows him to be a man of sterling integrity and as a business man he has shown himself fitted to serve the people as their chief executive.

His campaign is made on a platform of conservative business administration, and his speech Saturday should be heard by the entire city.

DR. B. M. SHIVE WILL ADDRESS MASS MEETING AT G. A. R. HALL SUNDAY AT 3 P. M.

A mass meeting has been arranged for Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the G. A. R. hall, when Rev. B. M. Shive, D. D., State Secretary of the Near East Relief, will speak on "Present Conditions in the Near East."

Dr. Shive was formerly pastor of the Presbyterian church at Joplin, Mo., and later in Paris, Ky., and before his appointment as secretary of the Near East Relief in Florida was representative of the Oglethorpe University at Atlanta, Ga.

Dr. Shive is known to many St. Cloud people who met at the general assembly at Orlando a few years ago.

He was a student with the late Dr. Stagg, former pastor of the Presbyterian church at Orlando, under Dr. Jos. R. Wilson, father of President Wilson.

Dr. Shive is a most eloquent speaker and his talk is sure to be of interest to all who attend.

NEWCOMERS BUY HOME HERE

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Hood of West Farmington, Ohio, arrived in St. Cloud about a week ago, after having heard so much about this city that they had a desire to "look us over," and after seeing what development had taken place here in so short a time and after enjoying our ideal climate for a week, purchased the A. Linderman home on the corner of 17th street and Kentucky avenue, and will soon be numbered among our prominent residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Hood returned to their Ohio home Tuesday for the purpose of disposing of Mr. Hood's business interests there, and expect to return to St. Cloud in September and occupy their new home. Mr. Hood intends to plant a 20-acre orange grove next winter, and to spend his future years looking after the grove and enjoying this climate.

Mr. and Mrs. Hood are prominent citizens in their Ohio home and will be welcomed to St. Cloud by the whole city.

W. C. T. U.

The local branch of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union met in the Baptist Church on Monday, the 17th inst., and was called to order at 2:30 p. m. by the president, Mrs. Clara Kenney. The song "Wind the Ribbon 'Round the Nation" was sung and prayer offered by Mrs. Brand. Roll call was responded to by giving favorite quotations from Scripture, and an appropriate poem was recited by Mrs. Spencer. The committee on drinking fountains gave an encouraging report, stating that they had been ordered and might be expected to arrive at any time. Mrs. Zimmerman spoke of the "Y" camp meeting to be held at Win-

ter Park June 15-20. She hopes to attend, accompanied by several young ladies from St. Cloud. On motion it was voted to observe June 9th as Flower Mission day and to meet with Mrs. Morgan, Pennsylvania avenue, between 11th and 12th streets.

Meeting closed in regular form, and adjourned to meet the first Monday in September.

FRANCES E. BRAND, P. C.

MRS. E. E. THOMAS DEAD

Mrs. Estelin E. Thomas was born in New Hampshire 50 years ago. Seven years ago she was married to Edward A. Thomas. She was alone as to relatives, but had gained friends during her short stay in this city of but eight months, having accompanied her husband to St. Cloud for the betterment of her health. She was a sufferer from lung trouble and heart failure, which finally suddenly ended life's career on Monday morning at one o'clock. A year or more ago their home was struck by lightning, and the home and contents entirely destroyed, which affected her health very materially, and from which she never fully recovered. In their home she was a member of the Methodist church, but from her serious condition of health was only permitted to attend the church of her choice but a few times. From her youth she was a Christian, ever enjoying the church and Sabbath school privileges.

The funeral was held from the Elselstein Bros parlors at 4 p. m. Wednesday, May 26, conducted by Rev. N. W. Beauchamp. Miss Kitty Claussen sang in a very impressive manner a solo. The profusion of flowers sent was indicative of the sympathy and kindly regards of neighbors and friends of the deceased. As has been said, those who knew Mrs. Thomas best loved her the most. A good wife, neighbor and friend has passed over. Her sun gone down while it is yet day. Burial was in Mt. Peace cemetery. Members of the Odd Fellows lodge acted as pall bearers.

Comrade J. H. Stevenson writes the editor that Comrade Daniel Harvey passed away at Barnet, Vermont, on May 15th. The funeral occurred on Tuesday, May 18, and fourteen comrades were at the burial. The funeral was largely attended. Mr. Harvey was a member of the Third Vermont regiment in the Civil War. He has been a regular winter visitor in St. Cloud for eleven years, but his last visit found him in failing health and he grew worse and was removed to his old home shortly after he came down for the season. He has a host of friends who knew him as a guest at the St. Cloud Hotel each winter, who will regret to learn of his death. He was past eighty years, but was very active for a man of his age, always being identified with the social affairs at the hotel each season. He was a man of sterling character and will be greatly missed from his circle of friends, who extend to the bereaved family their heartfelt sympathy in their great loss.

Headquarters of L. L. Mitchell Post, G. A. R.
St. Cloud, Fla., May 22, 1920

Post Order No. 1

Comrades, in obedience to General Orders of the National and Department commanders, and to conform to the established rules and customs of our Order, L. L. Mitchell Post and all other loyal and patriotic organizations, will assemble at the Grand Army Hall on Monday morning, May 31, at 9 o'clock a. m., and from there go to the City park, where fitting tribute by appropriate exercises will be given to the memory of our country's heroic dead.

By order of

E. M. HOLDEN,

J. I. CUMMINGS,

Post Commander.

Adjutant.

"STAY IN SCHOOL" CAMPAIGN IS NOW UNDER WAY

To abolish child labor not merely by prohibiting employment, but by providing suitable education, is the aim of the Stay-in-school campaign now being carried on, or just completed in 20 states, in co-operation with the Children's Bureau of the U. S. Department of Labor. The campaign is to be followed in the fall by a back-to-school drive in order to round up the children who fail to report at the opening of school, since the influence of vacation work in leading to permanent withdrawal from school has been strikingly shown.

An encouraging feature of the campaign is that six of the states taking part in it are among the ten in which more than twenty per cent of all the children between 10 and 15 years of age are regularly engaged in agricultural work. Rural child labor, which involves three-fourths of all the child workers in the country, is the most difficult form of child exploitation to reach. It is subject to no legal regulation except through school attendance laws, and these are, as a rule, inadequate and poorly enforced. In three of the six states taking part in the Stay-in-school campaign, the percentage of illiterates over ten years of age represents more than one-fifth of the total population. The other three states have illiteracy rates considerably higher than the country as a whole.

The campaign is being carried on in accordance with local needs and resources. Moving pictures and slides are being utilized in some places to show the harmful effects of too early work and the advantages of schooling. Posters and leaflets urging children to make wider use of the vocational courses offered in local schools are being distributed. Teachers in reading guidance and placement work are giving talks to seventh and eighth grade pupils on the advantages which school training gives when the boy or girl enters the working world. A ruler, called A Rule for School, showing children why for the sake of their future they should stay in school until they have at least enough education to enter a skilled occupation, is being furnished local committees by the Children's Bureau.

The 20 states carrying on campaigns are Alabama, California, Connecticut, Delaware, Illinois, Iowa, Louisiana, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Mississippi, Montana, Nevada, New Jersey, North Dakota, Rhode Island, Tennessee, Texas and Wisconsin.

OPERETTA MONDAY

The High School operetta originally intended to occur last night, was postponed until Monday evening, May 31.

In order to give more time for rehearsals. The program will be rendered at the G. A. R. hall Monday, beginning at 8 o'clock in the evening.

Common sense is none too common.

MEMORIAL

Our fathers saw the tide of war
Sweep o'er a stricken land,
The silent room, the empty chair
They well could understand.
Our mothers knew the bitter tears
That wives and mothers weep
And weary passing of the years
When waiting murdered sleep.

When all have seen the veterans old
Pass by with martial tread,
Of war's deep wounds their faces told;
With love for comrades dead
They left above each soldier's grave
The fairest buds of spring,
And precious flag he died to save
As peace time offering.

And when our children thus shall stand
By heroes' graves grown green,
Tho they may never know how grand
War's sacrifice, I ween
They too, will decorate with flowers
The beds where heroes sleep,
And glory in this land of ours
Its sacred rites to keep.

—Ruth Raymond

FRIDAY WILL END CITY SCHOOL TERM

Friday evening the commencement exercises of the St. Cloud High school will occur at the Grand Army hall, marking the close of another successful year in the history of the city schools.

Last Sunday morning the baccalaureate sermon was preached at the G. A. R. hall by Rev. Wm. Landis, pastor of the Methodist church, and all other congregations joined in the service at that hour.

Monday evening the grades entertainment of the St. Cloud school was given at the G. A. R. hall, and the building was overflowing with people who were anxious to witness this delightful program rendered by the pupils of the grades up to the eighth. The program rendered Monday was as follows:

Welcome Song—by the grammar school.

Welcome Address—Miss Verna McGill of the sixth grade.

Color Fairies—Frances Conn, Irene Walker and Christine Hickman.

The children who addressed the fairies were Marjorie Outlaw and Irene Batton.

Pantomime—United States—This little sketch represented the nation from the time of the Indians down to the World war, showing a band of Redskins on the war path, a part taken by Kenneth McGill and May Hollenbaugh. The telling of things which had passed was Rena Randall. The Pilgrims were represented by Julian Schloh, George Washington by Thomas Jennings, Betsy Ross by Ueda Bass, soldiers and sailors by Cecil Outlaw and Charlie Harris, Red Cross nurse by Mary Madison, and Uncle Sam by Johnny Padgett, while another young lady represented Columbia.

Flag drill by the third grade pupils. This was very interesting and showed the result of untiring efforts of the teachers of this class.

Fairy Play—Pearl Hickman, queen; Louis A. Guessaz, page; Preston Johnson, Mercury; Myrtle Childers, Lucy White; Roberta Buckmaster and Ger-

trine Johnson, fairies; Gladys Cathcart, Melody; Juno Garner, Messenger of Mortsals; June Johnston, Little Mother; Jay Johnston and Mildred Mosker, little fairies; Mildred Batton, Columbus; Joseph Madison, Uncle Sam; Paul King and Ethel Tyson, Civil war costumes; Ardell Batton and Ethel Tyson, American Revolution costumes; Fred Reagan, Tolly Bass and Ella Cresson, World war costumes; Chorus: Constance Harris, Myrtle Warren, Mabel Tyndall, Esther Davidson and Benish Cathcart. This part of the program was made up of favorite songs by the little folks, both in chorus and solo.

Flower Drill—by the first grade pupils.

Recitation—Pearl Davis of the fifth grade.

Song, "The Frog"—by grade three pupils.

Exercise, "Ten Little Sleepy Boys," from the second grade pupils.

Chorus by the whole school.

Program for Friday Night

The following program has been outlined for Friday evening, when diplomas will be presented to the grammar school class as well as to Miss Marion M. Harman, the only Senior to finish the High school this year. Prizes and medals will also be given to those who have made high average for the year in the various departments of the school work.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES ST. CLOUD HIGH SCHOOL

G. A. R. Hall, Friday Evening, May 28

Invocation—Rev. J. B. Westcott.

Chorus, "Forget Me Not"—Charles Gounod—High School Glee Club.

Commencement Address—Dean N. M. Salley, State College for Women.

Trio, "Carmina"—H. Lane Wilson—Edith Harrod, Beulah Cathcart, Esther Davidson.

Delivery of Prizes and Diplomas—C. F. Johnson, Chairman of Board of Trustees.

Valedictory—N. H. Bullard.

Benediction.

J. L. OVERSTREET APPRECIATES ATTITUDE OF TAXPAYERS



Hon. J. L. Overstreet, Circuit Court Clerk in and for Osceola County desires to express through the Tribune his hearty appreciation of the attitude of the taxpayers of Osceola county in allowing him to become the nominee for re-election in the June primary without opposition.

Mr. Overstreet has always treld to conduct the affairs of the office in an efficient manner, and to give entire satisfaction to the people of the whole county, and that he has succeeded admirably well was shown when the date for opposition to qualify against him in the primary passed without any one entering the race against him this year.

Mr. Overstreet assures the Tribune that he will continue to conduct his office for the benefit of the entire county, and although next January the office is put on a salary basis, reducing somewhat the income of the clerk as paid by the fee system, he will maintain a corps of efficient clerks and assistants to continue the efficient service that has made him the popular head of this department of the county for the past three terms.

M. R. CUSHMAN.

Even the prisoner was satisfied



THE CASE was over.
AND WE jury-men,
WERE LOCKED in a room.
AND ONLY one of us
WAS FOR conviction.
AND HE stuck to it.
ALL THAT day.
AND AT supper time.
WE FELT like sending
FOR ELEVEN suppers.
AND ONE bale of hay.
AND THEN all through
THE LIVELONG night.
WE TALKED and fought,
BUT NO argument
WOULD SATISFY him.
AND MORNING came.
A GRAY and cheerless dawn.
AND OUR stubborn friend.

WAS OUT of smokes.
AND I talked to him.
AND GAVE him one
OF MY cigarettes.
IT MAY have been
JUST A coincidence.
IT MAY have been
BUT I rather doubt it.
HE FINISHED the smoke.
AS I finished my talk.
AND HE said, "All right.
YOUR ARGUMENTS
ARE LIKE your smokes.
THEY SATISFY."

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WISCONSIN ASSOCIATION

The Wisconsin association met in Moose hall with President Mason in the chair and Secretary N. Stillwell in her place. Meeting opened by singing America, followed by prayer by the chaplain. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved, and after a short business meeting a resolution of officers took place. Several declined. Mrs. Stillwell told them they had to elect a secretary as she was going to Wisconsin on a visit. Mr. Mason said he was not able to continue as president. A rising vote of thanks was given to Mr. Mason for his efficient work; also a rising vote of thanks was given to Mrs. Stillwell for her work as secretary and press correspondent. Mr. Reitz was elected to fill the president's chair. Mr. Campbell was elected as vice president; Mrs. Reitz as treasurer and Mrs. Rhodes as secretary.

Music on piano by Mrs. Barber. Song by Mr. Reitz. Reading by Mrs. Markie. Recitation by Mr. Campbell. Mrs. Stillwell read The Beauty of Chippewa Falls. Mrs. Green, Lady of the Lake. Recitation by Mr. Sill. Mrs. Rhodes read a parody on The Old Oaken Bucket. Trump, Trump, Trump was sung by all. Mrs. Barber playing the piano. A letter of sympathy from the Wisconsin association to our sister, Mrs. E. Van Natta, was read and approved. Mrs. Stillwell requested on the closing to sing God Be With You Till We Meet Again.

NANCY STILLWELL,
Press Correspondent.

"BIG 4 IS" MEET

The "Big 4 IS" met on Thursday, May 20, in the old G. A. R. hall. The attendance was not so large as usual, and we missed many familiar faces as the tape of the north is strong at this season. Mr. Morsemann, the president, not being present, upon motion of Mr. Baudin Dr. Cooke acted as president. The meeting was called to order and all sang America. Prayer by Mr. Vance. Secretary's report was approved. The committee on badges asked for a continuance, which was granted.

Mrs. Claussen had charge of the program, which was as follows:

A quartet of ladies sang Flow Gently, Sweet Afton.

Mrs. Claussen gave a reading, We'll All Pull Through.

Mrs. French spoke a comic piece, What They Wrote.

Mr. Rankin read two articles, one, "Came" and the other "California." The pieces brought out the idea that no one state is independent of any other, but each state thrives by the help of others.

Dr. Pope was called upon for some remarks. He spoke of the early days before the war. Those pioneer days seem hardly possible in view of the richness of the states now.

Mr. Barager gave a reading, Push a Button.

Mrs. Cooke read The Best Town on the Map.

Mr. Rankin sang an Irish song.

Mr. Vance talked of the city of Des Moines at the present time. He spoke of some of Iowa's senators, Allison, Doolittle and Cummings, all men of which any state should be proud. It was decided to discontinue the meetings until fall. The present program committee to be continued. Closed with prayer by the chaplain, with adjournment until the 3d Thursday of October, or at the call of the president.

MRS. SILAS COOKE, Pres.

The Striker

(From Browning's Magazine)
Everybody's striking,
Said the Old Clock on the shelf:
It seems to be the fashion,
So I think I'll strike myself

But striking is my business—
Did you ever see such luck?
I'll have to give up striking
Just to show folks I have struck!

—Ella Randall Pearce.

A young couple were occupying the porch swing under the moon and moonlight night. From a nearby window her mother inquired: "Mary, what are you doing up so late?"

"Looking at the beautiful moon, mother."

"Well, it's 12 o'clock. You had better send the moon home."—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE CROP ESTIMATE

May 1 Crop Report

In spite of late cold and excessive rains early in the season, reports of May 1 indicate that the percent of plowing and planting yet to be done is not much greater than usual. However, in order to catch up with their work, farmers have had to rush their crops in during a shorter planting period than usual. It is anticipated that some trouble will result in cultivating and handling the crops if the wet, gross producing weather of the present continues.

Hay

The greater part of Florida's hay crops will not be planted for some time yet, but an inquiry of May 1 shows that the intention of farmers is to cut the hay acreage slightly. Probably 96 per cent of last year's acreage will be grown.

Wild hay acreage, on the other hand, will be larger than usual, present indications pointing to 102 per cent of last year's acreage.

Condition of all hay is reported as 91 per cent of normal.

About 22 per cent of last year's hay is still on the farms, which is slightly above the usual amount at this time of the year.

Fruits

Oranges and grapefruit are setting fruit nicely and a heavy crop of oranges is in prospect. Grapefruit bloom is rather light as a whole and present prospects are for a rather light yield next season.

The peach crop prospect is good, being about the same as for last year.

There will be no LeConte pear crop on account of blight.

Pineapples

East coast reports on pineapples show a condition of 80 per cent of normal, the highest figure reported in years. The acreage in this crop is still but a fraction of what it once was but present prospects seem good for the future development of pineapple growing.

Melons

With an unusually large acreage, the condition of watermelons is slightly below usual. Aside from lateness, however, the prospects for a heavy production are good. Vines are thrifty and, for the most part, in a good state of cultivation.

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JENNINGS B. PREVATT

Candidate for Assessor of Osceola Co., Democratic Primary June 8.

Mr. Prevatt was born and reared in Osceola County. He is the son of C. F. Prevatt, who served about fourteen years as sheriff of this county. He is twenty-five years old. He has a good education and his reputation for honesty and right living cannot be questioned. He served two years in the last war, spending six months in France and ten in Germany, and was one of the last boys to return home.

Condition of cantaloupes is slightly under last year, but about up to the usual condition for the time of year.

Irish Potatoes

The crop is beginning to move and fair yields of good quality are showing up. Condition is 84 per cent of normal, compared with 80 per cent last year and 91 per cent in 1918.

Cabbage

The close of the cabbage season marks a year of unusually good quality, yield and production. Yield per acre was the highest since 1916 and is estimated at four tons.

Production for the state was around 200 per cent of usual.

Pasture

Pasture crops got a late start on account of unexpected cold, but they are at present well above usual condition and compare favorably with the excellent spring pasture of 1918.

Mortality of Livestock

Losses of livestock from disease and exposure have been heavier than usual during the past year, ending April 30. Every kind of livestock, both for Florida and the United States, shows a higher percentage of deaths from disease or exposure than for several years past, the only exception being horses and mules in the state.

The past winter has been rough on livestock and the unusually late spring, with damage to pastures with frosts, has run the losses from exposure above the usual figures. Deaths from disease, while also higher than usual, are thought to be in a measure the result of weakened vitality on account of exposure rather than to an unusual prevalence of the disease themselves.

In the following comments on the several classes of live stock, the figures shown represent the number that have died out of each thousand, as reported by the correspondents of this bureau.

Horses and Mules

In Florida the loss from disease has been lighter than usual, being estimated at 17, compared with 22 last year and 18 in 1918.

The United States shows the heaviest losses since 1916; 17.6, compared with 15.7 last year and 16.5 in 1918.

Cattle, All Ages

The losses of cattle in Florida are estimated at 61, about half of which is credited to exposure and half to disease. Last year losses were 52 and in 1918, 42. As stated above, it is very probable that the losses from disease would have been lower if the vitality of cattle had not been below usual.

For the United States, losses are estimated at 37.9, compared with 33.1 last year. Losses in 1918 were 31.5.

Sheep

Out of every thousand, it is estimated that 67 have died from disease and exposure during the past year in Florida. Last year losses were 55 and in 1918, 52.

Lambs show a loss of 54 per thousand, compared with 50 last year and 40 in 1918.

The losses of sheep in the United States is much higher than usual, being 57.1, against 44.8 last year and 39.1 in 1918.

Lamb losses also, reached an unusual figure, 65.8, against 48.3 last year and 49.3 in 1918.

Swine

For several years the loss of hogs from disease has been on the decrease in Florida. The year ending April 30 upsets this record by showing an increase, which is apparently due to severe cholera losses in parts of the state.

Losses are estimated at 100, compared with 85 a year ago and 90 in 1918.

The United States shows an even greater percentage of losses, in com-

parison with preceding years, although the rate per thousand is much lower than in Florida; 51.5 against 41.4 last year and 42.1 in 1918.

As might be expected, this condition of all classes of livestock is reported to be lower than usual, with a rapid improvement during the past few weeks, as the pasturage and spring grazing crops have become available.

SAM T. FLEMING,
Field Agent.

I Am Going Down to Florida

(Sung to the tune of "Take Me Back Where the Orange Blossoms Grow.")

I am going down to Florida, where the orange blossoms grow,
Where the mocking birds are singing all the day.

Chorus:

Ah, take me back to Florida, where the orange blossoms grow,
Where the mocking birds are singing far away.

I am going down to Florida, where the sweet potatoes grow,
Where the "Vets" are singing all the day.

Chorus:

I am going down to Florida, where I don't have to shovel snow,
Where the "Vets" are busy where'er you go.

Chorus:

I am going down to St. Cloud, Florida, to the city by the lakes,
Where the "Vets" are always happy and content.

Chorus:

I am going down to Florida to live among the "Vets,"
And when the bugle sounds I'll be ready to go.

Chorus:

—Daniel L. Hunting,
Drummer Boy, 28th Mich.

L. L. MITCHELL POST

L. L. Mitchell Post, No. 34, G. A. R., met in regular session on May 22, at 2 p. m., with Commander Holden in the chair. All officers present except the Officer of the Day, who was detained at home by sickness in his family, and the office was filled by Comrade Livermore in a very able manner. Committees were appointed by



GEORGE W. FOX

Candidate for County Judge

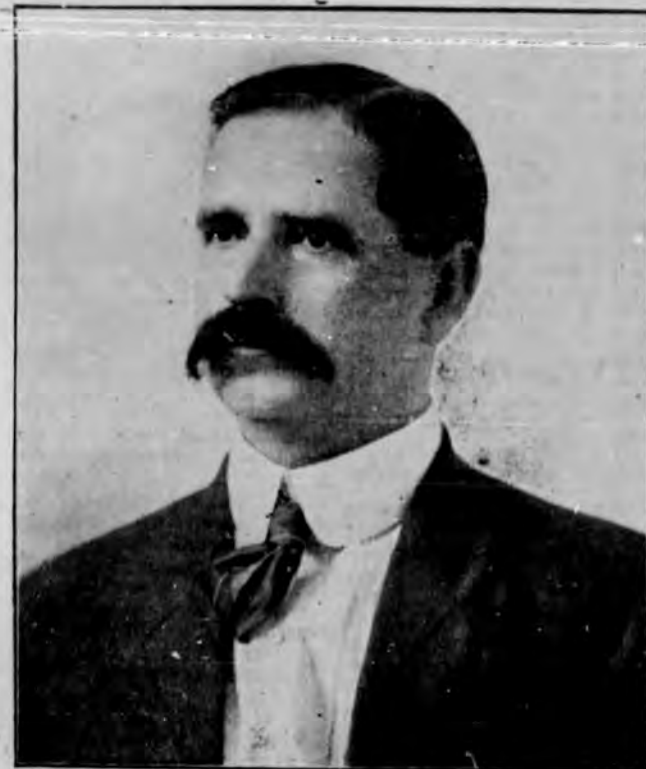
He is a Classical graduate, has Law Licenses from Supreme Courts of Tennessee and Florida; has over thirty years' experience in the practice of law.

the Commander for Memorial and Decoration Day exercises. Comrade Brand was selected to deliver the oration at City park, 8th and Ohio Ave. as Rev. Wm. Landis was called out of the city on other business. Motion was made and seconded that the Post send a cordial invitation to the Garrison of the Army and Navy Union to join us in taking part in the exercises at the park, also in the parade. A goodly number of members were in evidence at the meeting and everything was harmonious. Comrade DeGraw was reported sick but improving. Comrade McNew was taken by Elder Landis to his relatives in Colorado. Adjourned to meet in one week.

E. W. MOARGAN, P. C.

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HON. C. L. BANDY, Tax Collector, Osceola County, And Candidate for Re-election in the Democratic Primary of June 8, 1920

ANNOUNCEMENT

I am a candidate for re-election as Prosecuting Attorney for the County Court of Osceola County and will stand on my record in this office during the past four years.

W. B. Crawford

Primary June 8, 1920

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SOME THOUGHTS ON CITIZENSHIP

(By Charles F. Davis, General Extension Division, University of Fla.)

Among the reasons given for the adoption of the national constitution, we finally come to this declaration, "to secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and our posterity." Not simply to secure the blessings to ourselves and then ruthlessly declare, "after us the deluge," but to pass on to posterity the blessings undiminished.

Were we not pledged for a hundred years to meet the challenge hurled by Germany when she threatened our liberties? Was it not a promise given to generations yet unborn?

Liberty! How the hearts of men have thrilled at the sound of that word! It meant release from all forms of slavery. It meant freedom to worship God according to one's own conscience. It meant opportunity to make the most of the one talent or the ten with which the Master has entrusted us. It means the right to sit beside one's own fountain and to drink of its pure waters unmolested and unafraid. In the name of liberty men's noblest deeds have been performed, the most unselfish sacrifices borne, and sad, too sad to recall, the most barbarous cruelties inflicted.

"If only one noun," says Macaulay, "could be used to represent this country, what would it be? It is a word that brave men have had on their lips when they died. It is a word that every true American soldier and sailor sees in his imagination when he benevolent tyrant; but though I have in the breeze. It is a word that to many people in other lands always suggests America. This word is 'Liberty.'"

Our forefathers believed that without a free people the government they were establishing would be unworthy of support. All the other guarantees, justice, tranquility, protection, and welfare, might be had at the hands of a of the preamble to our constitution all these and have not liberty, I am nothing."

Do we not see by this rapid analysis of the preamble to our constitution that the answer given by the framers of that instrument to our first question—what ought the government to do—is marked out a very wide program, a program that calls for the highest skill and energy of every loyal citizen of the land?

We hear the cry often repeated that the liberties of Americans are being taken away from them by those who have seized the power of state. Were all the citizens of the country awake

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President and Congress Merit Applause For Enacting the Rural Credits Bill

The signature by the president of the Rural Credits Bill marks the successful culmination of a long fight, led by The American and other Hearst newspapers for the emancipation of the farmers from unjust and burdensome conditions imposed upon them by the banking interests and the banking laws of the nation.

The president very fairly and justly summed up the conditions from from which the farmers are relieved by this legislation when he said:

"The farmers, it seems to me, have occupied hitherto a singular position of disadvantage. They have not had the same freedom to get credit on their real estate that others have had who were in manufacturing and commercial enterprises, and while they have sustained our life they did not in the same degree with some others share in the benefits of that life.

"Therefore, this bill, along with the very liberal provisions of the Federal Reserve Act, puts them upon an equality with others who have genuine assets and makes the great credit of the country available to them. One cannot but feel that this is delayed justice to them, and cannot but feel that it is a very gratifying thing to play any part in doing his act of justice."

To Senator Fletcher is due the greater part of the credit for steering this legislation successfully through congress. The Senator was a pioneer in the movement. Representing as he does an agricultural state, he keenly felt the injustice which the existing banking laws allowed to fall upon that most important class which farms the land and produces the fundamentals upon which all other classes of the community depend.

After a vigorous agitation of the evil, the Southern Commercial Congress, under the leadership of Senator Fletcher, appointed a committee to study European methods of financing the farming interest. The Congress of the United States took like action, and the commissions, both appointed by President Wilson, toured European countries in 1913, making a very careful investigation into the rural land credit banks which form so great a part of the financial system of continental countries.

The immediate result was the Fletcher-Moss bill, which, after various changes, both in title and in substance, by later congresses, furnishes the essential features of the present law.

Senator Fletcher may, therefore, rightfully claim the honor of being the author of this great step forward and this progressive provision for relieving farmers from a situation which was really one of extortion practiced under the countenance of the law.

It was vital to the country that some legislation of this sort should be provided. During the long and heated discussion, not merely in Congress, but in the press, which has attended the slow progress of this bill to enactment, the American people have been made familiar with the grave injustice done to the farming community by the existing systems of extending credit.

It is not too much to say that no manufacturer or merchant could possibly do business successfully today if the obstacles in the way of securing credit and the interest exacted from him for loans made were as great as in the case of the farmer.

It is not fair to charge that this condition of affairs was due wholly to the greed of the banks. Partly it proceeded from the lack of knowledge among bankers of proper methods of securing farm loans so that they would not be extra hazardous and for the protection of the banker brings in extraordinary large interest.

The fact that there was no provision in the Federal law for rediscounting notes based upon securities which farmers had to offer was, of course, a fundamental flaw in the haphazard system under which we have been working.

All this is corrected in the Fletcher bill. The system of twelve loan banks, under control of a Federal board to be appointed by the president, puts the business of a farm loan on a plane with that of commercial loans. The farmer is assured of the same facilities of obtaining credit on his successful farm as the manufacturer is upon his profitable mill. This is only justice, though belated justice.

In his remarks on the occasion of signing the measure, the president said: "I look forward to the benefit of this bill not with extravagant expectations, but with confident expectations that it will be of very wide reaching benefit."

It is prudent not to expect that all the evils to which the farming community has been so long subjected will be immediately cured by this legislation. Indeed, the law is not at all that the more ardent advocates of farmers' credit desire. It does not go as far as similar measures in operation in Germany and France today have gone with com-

plete success. Nevertheless it is a great step in advance and the Democratic party and the president deserve unstinted commendation for its passage.

President Wilson presented Senator Fletcher the pen with which he approved the act, as a token of his appreciation of the public service rendered in connection with having the legislation enacted.—N. Y. American.

ENGINEERS REPORT KISSIMMEE RIVER IMPROVEMENT PROJECT UNFAVORABLE

War Department, United States Engineer's Office, Jacksonville, Fla. May 22, 1920.

It having come to the notice of the undersigned that you have expressed an interest in the pending proposition for the improvement of the Kissimmee river, Florida, you are hereby informed that the report thereon authorized by the Act of Congress, approved Mar. 2, 1919, has been made and is unfavorable to any improvement additional to that covered by the existing project. The principal grounds upon which the adverse conclusions are based are: that the projected depth of three feet at ordinary low water if properly maintained, is sufficient for the present and immediate prospective needs of navigation.

You are further notified that all interested parties have the privilege of an appeal from this conclusion to the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, a permanent body sitting at Washington, D. C., to which all examination and survey reports of this character are referred. Parties desiring to do so may be heard on appeal by the board, either orally or in writing. Written communications should be addressed to the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, Southern Bldg., Washington, D. C., and should be mailed in time to be in the possession of the aid board within four weeks from the date of this communication. If, however, you have important data to communicate to the board, which can not be collected and put in shape for proper presentation within four weeks, the board should be informed of this fact without delay and request made for an extension of the limiting date for submitting information. If oral hearings are desired, dates for the same may be arranged for by correspondence with the board.

Any further information needed may be obtained by application to this office, but attention is invited to the following regulation as to the manner in which such information may be furnished.

"Where interested parties desire data necessary for the preparation of their appeal to the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, it will be given them verbally by the district engineer, or, in his absence, by the senior assistant engineer connected with the improvement. They will not be permitted to have access to the report without authority from the Chief of Engineers."

You are requested to communicate the foregoing to any persons known by you to be interested in the improvement and who, not being known to this office, do not receive a copy of this communication.

Respectfully,

W. J. BAKDEN,

Lt. Col., Corps of Engrs., U. S. A.

OF INTEREST TO EX-NAVY MEN

With the president signing the navy bill gives all the personnel an increase in pay ranging from 30 to 70 per cent, this goes into effect immediately and those in the service will be given this increase dating back to January 1, 1920.

This new bill is of great interest to ex-navy men, as those who have been out of the service over four months but not out over one year, can re-enlist at their old rating and be given four months' pay of their rate with 30 days' leave with pay and their choice of going to any ship in the Atlantic fleet or

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TAMPA EXPECTS 10,000 VETERANS AT RE-UNION

Tampa May 26.—At least 10,000 ex-soldiers and sailors are expected to attend the first annual state reunion of the American Legion here June 21 and 22. Ample preparation is being made by the U. S. S. Tampa Post No. 5 to take care of at least that many men or more during this gathering.

Hillsborough county alone furnished more than three thousand soldiers and sailors during the war. It is expected that each of these men will be in Tampa for a least one day of the reunion. Adjoining counties will send a large proportion of their ex-service men and strong representations are expected from the more distant counties in the state.

The fact that the Tampa Post will have an attractive entertainment program will prove a big drawing card for

this re-union. However the biggest attraction will be the opportunity to meet former "buddies" and renew the friendships formed while serving the country during the recent war.

Kentucky colonels may feel inclined to revise the refrain: "The sun shines bright in my old Kentucky home," by substituting moon for the second word.—Chattanooga News.

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With three Republican parties in Florida we wonder if there will also be three Republican tickets presented for the November election.

St. Johns County Commissioners have let a contract for 111 miles of hard roads in that county, subject to the people of that county ratifying a bond issue to pay for the job. And St. Johns county can only boast of about one town in its whole territory, and that the oldest city in America—St. Augustine.

James Calkins has the best record showing himself fitted for the office of Attorney General of Florida, although the other two candidates are very fine gentlemen, and there has been no mud-slinging in their campaign. The record of Calkins should cause him to be selected as the Democratic nominee on June 8.

The people of Osceola county should look well into the qualifications of the candidates for county judge, because each of the three aspirants recommend themselves so highly. The man who can prove his "recommendation" by his associates through the past few years and who is qualified should be chosen.

The office of prosecuting attorney is an important one to the people of every county. Osceola county should make no mistake in selecting a man for this office in June. Consider the ability of the two candidates and let your personal likes and dislikes be cast aside in the interest of efficient service in this office.

From the number of new faces seen on the streets of St. Cloud it appears that we had no real tourist season, unless the twelve months is counted as that season. Now homeseekers are buying here every day and it's because they have come here and found our summers are far superior to northern summers as our winters are to the northern winters.

We predict the "Woolhat" boys Catts has been talking about will speak in unimpeachable terms on June 8th, and tell Catts to quit politics in Florida. He said when those fellows told him to stay at home he would pull the bell cord over old Beck's back. We suggest that he try out this new "profession," helping make that Rufford farm show some profits to the state.

Indications point now to an almost unanimous selection of Hon. Ernest Amos as state comptroller of Florida. The people of the state have come to recognize the efficiency of public officers of the character of Mr. Amos and retain such man in office term after term. Mr. Amos has a record that his opponent cannot belittle. And the opponent has no issues to base his campaign on other than that he wants Mr. Amos' job.

If there was any doubt about Senator Fletcher's re-election, all such doubt has vanished since his visit to the State. No candidate ever made a more favorable impression on the people of Florida during a few weeks' campaigning than the Senator has made during his tour of the state. He has knocked all of Governor Catts' claims into a "cocked hat" and clearly demonstrated that the Governor is unfit to succeed him in the United States senate.—Gainesville Daily News.

The office of Tax Assessor is an important one to the taxpayers. If a man without experience or qualifications to properly list the lands and personal property of the county should get into office it would be possible for certain large land companies to escape paying their just share of the taxes. If every body is assessed properly then no one

is running for reelection on his record as tax assessor in this county for the past term, and says in his advertisement that he has no friends or relatives to favor. That sounds good to us.

The Tribune has arranged for special representation at both the Democratic National convention in San Francisco and the Republican National convention at Chicago. We propose to give our readers all the news about the two great political parties of the country during the history making periods of these conventions. Lincoln was nominated at a convention held in Chicago. The nation is interested in knowing what the coming conventions will adopt as platforms for campaign issues in the November election.

Of course Tampa has a yell about the small showing in the federal census. She could not call herself the metropolis of South Florida unless she emulated Jacksonville in complaining about the growth shown. It seems to be natural when a town don't keep up the reputation of the boosters to complain that they have not had a fair count. Sounds like an office seeker when his majority fades away into a minority that gives the other fellow the job. But cheer up, Tampa, the small towns in South Florida are with you just the same. What you did not show in population you make up in unselfish spirit when your territory is concerned and that is more than we can say for Jacksonville.

DeSoto county people have an issue in the campaign for representative in the legislature that overshadows all other political squabbles in that part of the state. They want county division, and we don't blame them. Their county is as big as some states, yet politicians around the county seat at Arcadia have long defeated any division plans proposed. It looks to a man this far off as if the people who oppose county division are standing in their own light.

With only two candidates in the race for State senator from the Nineteenth senatorial district composed of Osceola, Orange and Seminole county, it is the duty of Osceola county to give N. C. Bryan of Kissimmee a solid vote. It is due Osceola county that she have the senator this term, as Orange county had the last senator from the district and Seminole has not put in any claims for the honors at his primary.

THE BOY

(By Dr. Frank Crane)

James Russell Lowell says in one of his letters that he never could get to consider himself as anything more than a boy. When people consulted him, as if his opinion were worth anything, he could hardly help laughing. And he would think to himself that the grave inquirer would be "as mad as a hornet" if he knew he was consulting in reality a boy of twelve, "masked by a bearded visor." And in a letter, written in his old age, he jots down an imaginary anecdote of himself, telling how, passing a "Hospital for Incurable Children," he turned to his companion and said quietly, "There's where they'll send me one of these days." So relates Herbert Bates.

The value of this lies in that it strikes a responding chord in the hearts of many of the grown-ups who read it.

It does in mine, I'll confess. I never attend a committee meeting, where they solemnly debate some political or financial or other heavy matter, but there is a spot in my mind where it all seems funny. What have I and the other children to do with it all? I'll wake up pretty soon.

A lanky young poet came to consult me the other day. He wanted me to tell him how to be a successful author. It was all I could do to keep from laughing in his face. As if I knew! All you do is to go on pestering editors until after a while some of them will get peeved and print your stuff, then others take it up, and there you are. It's a great game if you live long enough. But for the first hundred years it's hard.

I am hurt by the way some children act toward me. They look at me as if I was a stone image, or a tree, or some object of the landscape. They don't offer to play with me. I don't even embarrass them.

I met Charlie Stewart the other day—hadn't seen him for years. When I used to visit his father's home I was a great favorite of his because I could

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he is a man, and smokes cigarettes, and has been to Harvard, and has opinions about Republicanism and Democrats, and everything. Good Lord! He never asked me once to whistle.

Still, it's just as well. A fool dentist fixed my front teeth and spoiled my whistle, it only kinda hisses now.

First thing I do when I get to heaven, I will shuck this gray hair and my creaky legs, and run out and play hide-and-seek with the younger set of angels. I've had enough of being grown-up. It's mostly lunk.

JUNIOR ORDER AMERICAN MECHANICS

(By W. R. Dale, P. C. and S. O., And O. H. Puckett Atlanta, Ga.)

This is strictly an American, non-sectarian, non-partisan, fraternal, beneficial, patriotic organization. It was founded May 17, 1833, Germantown, Pa., and has at present a membership of over 400,000 native-born white Americans, representing every profession and walk in life, while its auxiliaries, the Uniformed Rank and the Daughters of America, have a membership about equal to the main order.

The National Council, the supreme body of the order, is composed of representatives from the various State Councils, and its management is vested in three departments—executive, legislative and judicial—modeled after our national government, and is strictly representative. The state councils are composed of representatives from the various subordinate councils in the state and are modeled after and subordinate to the National Council. Subordinate councils (designated by local name and number) have the same form of government and are subordinate to the State and National councils.

The motto of the order is "Virtue, Liberty and Patriotism." It has for its objects, first, to inculcate pure American principles; second, to teach loyalty to American institutions; third, to cultivate fraternal affection; fourth, to oppose foreign interference in State or National affairs; fifth, to oppose all appropriations of public moneys for sectarian purposes; sixth, to preserve the Constitution of the United States; seventh, to defend and maintain the American system of public schools.

While welcoming to our country genuine home builders from other lands, the order enters its solemn protest against the flood-tide of immigration of the criminal and pauper classes of the old world; hence it favors restricted immigration.

The order is pledged to elevate American citizenship; to defend our country and its institutions; to compulsory education; to maintain and improve the American free school system; to prevent any sectarian interference therewith; to encourage the reading of the Bible in the public schools; to resist the exercise of political power by any and all sects or organizations that are opposed to the American form of government. Over 4,000 American flags have been raised on our school houses by this organization, and as many Bibles have been placed in the schools.

The order is unalterably opposed to the union of church and state, and to the appropriation of any public money for the support of sectarian or denominational schools. This does not mean that it is opposed to these schools in themselves, but it insists that sects or denominations desiring such schools should maintain and support them with sect or denominational money, and not with money obtained by taxation from all classes of our citizens.

The order has established at Tiffin, Ohio, a national orphan's home at a cost of over \$200,000, where the children of deceased members are reared and educated.

Any white male person is eligible to membership, if he is of good moral character; sixteen years of age or over, born on the soil or under the jurisdiction of the United States of America; not engaged in the manufacture or sale of spirituous or malt liquors or so-called near beers as a beverage; a believer in the existence of a Supreme Being as the Creator and Preserver of the Universe; opposed to any union of Church and state; in favor of the American public school system and opposed to the interference of any foreign power, directly or indirectly, with the government of the United States of America.

One of the Petty Annoyances of the Times

One of the most exasperating and annoying incidents of the sugar shortage, and one which it is safe to say has given rise to more charges of profiteering than any other one thing, has been the requirement of many grocers, that in order to be allowed to buy a pound of sugar the housewife must purchase something else in the store to entitle her to the consideration of a "regular customer." It was an arbitrary restriction of the dealer, imposed without authority of law, and in fact being against the law, as was recently announced by the Department of Justice. It was responsible for an immense deal of grouching and ill feel-

ing between dealers and customers. It was, in reality, one form of profiteering, and that a most annoying one. It has driven away trade from those grocers practicing it, but it has not in any way restricted the consumption of sugar. The family maybe gets a single pound of sugar from its favorite grocer, but one pound of sugar is a small supply for a family of four or five or more, so different members are dispatched to all the grocers within reach with instructions to make small purchases, and get as much sugar as the grocer will allow them. The consumption of sugar has not been reduced, but the family has been put to an annoyance and the grocer has lost a customer and friend. It is a vicious practice, which defeats its own end, and now that it has been shown on good authority to be under the ban of the law, we may hope to see it discontinued.—Tampa Tribune.

Our Morals

If Americans remain blind to the shocking state of their morals it is not for lack of warnings. In the bare knees of some young women dancers at a Port Chester charity performance a reverend critic sees symptoms of a "menace to the welfare of our nation much more subtle and destructive than bodily sickness and disease," and in Paris a dancing master, protesting against "American contortions," says: "Paris is resolved not to suffer any longer American immorality in the form of the shimmy-sake and other revolting importations from America." Paris declaiming against the low morals of American dancing is something. But it is from an Atlantic City convention of reformers that the worst indictment comes. According to the speakers, "In public these days you can scarcely tell the difference between a street woman and a church woman." And other speakers dwell on the return to civilian life of "millions of sol-

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dier and sailor boys with their ideas of women lowered by their experience overseas," and pointed out that the instruction in the avoidance of disease given to the American forces in the war "made the social problem all the more difficult, because fear, the chief deterrent heretofore, had been removed."

It is a sad catalogue of decadence. It is conceivable, of course, that Paris should look askance at an improper dance not of Parisian origin, and bare knees are admittedly shocking on a suburban stage; these are sights for Broadway. But are not the eyes of our Atlantic City morals unduly jaundiced? Perhaps a public that has heard all the changes rung on the corruption of American morals will not take this jeremiad as seriously as its authors might wish.—N. Y. World.

BASEBALL IN MEXICO

(A relative of Carranza is authority for the statement that Mexico will abandon Bull Fighting and will take up Baseball.—Item of News.)

In Mexico, baseball will be a matter of evolution rather than adoption. At the outset, a game will proceed along these general lines:

Prior to the opening play, a parade of plectors, matadors and torreadors about the diamond.

Liberation of the umpire, and beginning of the game.

After first inning, siesta for infielders.

After second inning, umpire is pursued by plectors.

After third inning, siesta for outfielders.

After fourth inning, pursuit of umpire by plectors and matadors, twice around the bases.

After fifth inning, pitcher and catcher take siesta.

After sixth inning, massacre of the umpire by plectors, matadors and torreadors. Fresh umpire liberated and game continues.

After seventh inning, siesta for spectators; grandstandistas, bleacheristas, freelistas, everybody.

After eighth inning, official announcement that the game will be concluded "manana."

Prolonged siesta for umpire.—Cartoons Magazine.

"Did you try the simple plan of counting sheep for your insomnia?"

"Yes, doctor, but I made a mess of it. I counted 10,000 sheep, put 'em on the cars and shipped 'em to market. And when I'd got through counting this wad of money I got for them at present prices it was time to get up."

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Miss Nellie Burns was the guest of friends in the East End on Sunday.

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Messrs. Carpenter and Wagner of Ashton were in town shopping on Saturday.

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Mrs. Betta Williams left on Thursday to spend the summer at Valparaiso, Indiana.

Fresh buttermilk can be had by leaving order over phone, 67-2 rings, 37-47

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hall left on Saturday to spend the summer in Michigan and Mapleton, Minn.

Persons desiring to rent the Moose hall must call at the Tribune office and arrange for dates.

Mrs. T. L. Comer left Tuesday for a two weeks visit with relatives and friends in Kokomo, Ind.

You can pay your state and county taxes at H. K. Drought's office. Deeds recorded, insurance.

Comrade DeGraw has been confined to his bed for the last week under the care of Dr. Dodds.

John F. Daniels, now working near Lake Wales, spent Sunday with his family in this city.

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G. A. Cram came up last week from Avon Park to spend a few days with his family in this city.

The Army and Navy Union, No. 141, meets every first and third Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Moose Home, on New York avenue. F. B. Munsell, adjutant.

T. A. Hamilton leaves today for Valparaiso, Ind., to spend several weeks visiting with friends and relatives.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Army and Navy Union meets every second and fourth MONDAY afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Moose Home, Mrs. Minnie Barber, Lady Commander.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Victor Mapes, Sunday, May 16, a son. Dr. Dodds attending physician. Mother and babe doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bracken are spending several weeks at their country home near the Sugar Mill canal, west of town.

Work is progressing on the gap in the St. Cloud-Melbourne road, the state road department having had a crew on the job for the past three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob and Little daughter of Loughman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Conn on Wednesday, making the trip in their car.

Geo. A. B. Cook has gone to Three Rivers, Wis., for a visit, but having bought a home here will soon return to take up his residence in this city.

"Life in Florida," is a neat little 125 page book just off the press, that gives some interesting things about the state as seen by a visitor. Postpaid for 75c per copy. Address the Tribune Book Department.

Ten per cent discount on all shoes for the next week, commencing Saturday, May 29th, to June 5th. H. C. Stanford Company, Josh Ferguson, Manager.

Mrs. Hatcher has moved her millinery store from the Peckham building to the Lake View hotel, and will be glad to have her patrons call there in the future.

Mrs. J. S. Bracken has received a shark fin, sent by her brother G. W. TenEyck from Homosassa, that is said to have been taken from a fish sixty feet long. The souvenir is attracting much attention.

Cottage, cheese, buttermilk, pure dairy butter, or fresh sweet milk or cream can be had right at your door if you leave orders with Brooks' Model Dairy, phone 67-2 rings, 37-47

Word has been received of the death at the Soldiers' Home, Johnston City, Tenn., on May 20, of Comrade David Coon, formerly of St. Cloud. He was a member of Merrill's horse guards, enlisting from Princeton, Mo., August 20, 1862 and served three years in the Second Missouri Cavalry. He came to St. Cloud soon after this city was started. He is survived by a wife and

several children. He was a member of the Baptist Church and a consistent Christian.

Uncle Josh Ferguson has returned from Tampa, where he spent two weeks undergoing treatment by a specialist. He returned much improved and is on the job again at Stanford's store greeting his customers with his usual smile.

Mr. Merchant: Do you want some souvenir fans to give your customers this summer? Drop in at the Tribune and leave your order. We can supply them in assorted designs at prices as cheap as can be had anywhere in the country.

Miss Bessie Farr arrived home this week from Dade City for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Farr. Miss Bessie has been appointed to a government position and will leave for Washington to assume her new duties.

The Kansas-Mid-West association will meet on the 1st of June at 2 p. m. at Moose hall. All Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, Oklahoma people are especially invited. A full attendance is expected, as we have business of importance. By Vice Pres. E. W. Morgan.

Uncle Josh takes a shot at Old H. C. L. Our entire stock of men's, ladies' and children's shoes will be cut ten per cent commencing Saturday, May 29th, and run to June 5th. This is quite a saving on the shoe bill. H. C. Stanford Co., New York Ave.

Mrs. F. E. Philpott and little daughter arrived this week for a visit with Mrs. Philpott's parents, Comrade and Mrs. J. H. Davis on Illinois avenue. They will be joined later by Mr. Philpott and their son Frank, who plan to spend the Fourth of July in St. Cloud.

Uncle Josh Ferguson is back from his annual vacation and caught the fever of fighting old high cost of living, and is offering a ten per cent discount on shoes for one week only, commencing May 29th and ending June 5th. This is a good chance to get your 4th of July shoes and have them ready. H. C. Stanford Company, Josh Ferguson, Manager.

Word was received here last Saturday by E. W. Morgan, to notify L. L. Mitchell Post No. 54, of the death of Henry H. St. John at Scranton, Kan., at the home of his granddaughter, on April 27th, the cause of his death being pneumonia. He left St. Cloud on the 10th of March, expecting to remain with relatives until October and then return here. He was a civil war veteran in the 11th Kan Cav., also a member of the Baptist church of this city. He was in the same company and regiment with E. W. Morgan of Pennsylvania avenue. He had been here several winters and was respected and well liked by all who knew him.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the City Council will meet as Board of Equalization at 10 a. m. on Monday, June 14th, 1920, at the City Hall, St. Cloud, Florida. All persons having complaints should file them in writing at that time.

FRED B. KENNEY,
City Clerk.

VETERANS' ASSOCIATION

The Veterans' association met on Saturday, May 22, 1920, at 2 p. m., with President Kenney presiding.

Opening song, American.

Prayer by the chaplain.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved, and the announcements were made.

Talk by Mr. G. Fox.
Talk by J. E. Lupter.
Talk by Young Tindall.
Talk by Cleve Outlaw.
Talk by Milton Pledger.
Talk by Jennings Prevatt.

The St. Cloud yell was given by all, and the collection taken up.

The meeting was then turned over to Mrs. Pope, who had charge of the social hour.

Music by Mr. Andrist.

Recitation by Mr. Cartwright.

Music by Mrs. Pope.

Reading by E. W. Morgan.

Recitation by Comrade Blackmun.

Music by Edith Harrod.

Recitation by Mr. Depew.

The Star Spangled Banner was sung by all, and the meeting adjourned for one week.

FRANK SCHWINDEN,
Secretary.

Lik's Squirrel

A man rarely digs for the root of evil until he finds himself up a tree.—Cartoons Magazine.

PALM

Thursday, May 27:—

JOHN BARRYMORE in

"ON THE QUIET"

Saturday, May 29:—

MITCHELL LEWIS in

"JAQUES OF THE SILVER NORTH"

and 2-reel Mack Bennett Comedy

"Athletic Girls"

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If your hair is hard to comb, is kinky, nappy and will never stay straight, just use Cocotone Hair Dressing and it will become straight, long, soft, glossy and beautiful in a few days. Mail orders filled, 25c for large box.—Adv.

WHEN CROY RAN

Homer Croy, the Missouri humorist, got back the other day from France, where he was in charge of moving picture activities for the army during the recent disturbance there. He is now arranging to go to China for the second time, to make a moving picture of the Chinese Wall. He tried to make one just before America entered the war, but the film was not a success.

Croy was connected with a big movie producing company in New York City. One day he was summoned before the president, who instructed Croy to catch the 5 o'clock train for Shanghai, and get a picture of the ancient wall, before any other film company thought of it. Croy packed a suit case, caught the train, made quick connections with a boat out of Seattle, and got to Shanghai ahead of the rush.

He picked up a likely looking Chinese boy for an interpreter, then pushed inland. Twenty-five miles along the trail they came to a new province, and stopped at a farm house.

"What does that man say, Ah Sing?" Croy asked the interpreter.

"Oh, him dam foo," said Ah Sing. Next day they reached another province, and stopped to talk with another farmer.

"What does that man say," Ah Sing, asked Croy.

"Oh, him dam foo," said Ah Sing. Finally they came to the Chinese wall, and set up the moving picture camera. The Chinese are superstitious about cameras, believing evil spirits dwell within them. Before Croy could get his machine focused, a crowd of natives approached on the run, throwing sticks and stones.

"What do those men say, Ah Sing?" Croy called.

"Oh, them dam foo," said Ah Sing. The mob demolished the camera. Croy didn't hang around.

"Back in Missouri," Croy explained, "I held the long distance championship. But I'm ashamed to say I broke all my previous records that day in China."

And when I got back to the hotel in Shanghai, I found Ah Sing sitting on the steps waiting for me.—Cartoons Magazine.

An Englishman traveling in the remote Highlands remarked to a villager: But what on earth do you do when any one is ill. You can never get a doctor in time?

Nae, sir, replied Sandy, we just die a natural death.

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A Stray Hanger's Hymn of Hate

I am a street car patron of fifty years' standing.

And standing is the word you must admit;

Though my eye is as the eagle's, and my presence is commanding,

I have never commandeered a place to sit.

With a smile I grasp a strap, poised above some lady's lap,

As a movie hero hangs twist love and duty;

At each trolley-tribulation I can still my indignation—

Except one—and that's the Rear-Entrance Cootie,

Gosh-durn him!

The Masted Rear-Entrance Cootie.

When with my morning paper or, the day's toil is done, I caper

To the car, to reach my nightly ham and eggs,

With rage my heart grows bitter when I find this Cootie-critter

Obstructing all the passage with his legs.

Though ahead of him may be space enough for two or three

Regiments of passengers, or maybe more,

Standing with reluctant feet where the aisle and entrance meet,

With his corporosity he blocks the door—

The big goof!

With his endorpoint he neatly blocks the door.

From the fullness of my heart I have cursed his counterpart,

The female that's more deadly than the he;

I have whined and groaned and barked when her limousine was parked

In the middle of the aisle that should be free.

I will gladly go to hades if I'm sure these ghastly ladies

With their mates beyond a chance will do the same;

'Twill be my idea of beauty when each Rear-Entrance Cootie

Moves up front, to realms of everlasting flame—

Yea Bo!

Pays a red-hot fare to everlasting flame.

—Cartoons Magazine

An Old Incident in Maine Politics

A politician shrewd and wise, who often coached the farmers On this and that, and how to vote when projects that alarm us Upraised a bolshevistic head, or measures that he favored Needed a round majority, yet in the balance quavered.

Came to a willing partisan, a harmless ignoramus, Who still could cast a ballot, though the ballot were to shame us:

"Now, Jim," said he, "we need a man who'll rise to the occasion And vote for law and righteousness, and so preserve our nation."

"There's Thomas Jones—you've known him long; he's honest and he's able: He must be our next congressman and keep the Union stable;

Our navy needs support and he will vote for more destroyers,

And then enforce a League of Peace 'twixt strikers and employers;

"Thus insurrection he'll prevent; on these important issues

He is the only man to trust; no one could stand in his shoes.

Go tell your neighbors what I say, and emphasize each reason

Why Thomas Jones must chosen be. Vote right and vote in season."

So Jim went out to bear the torch the politician gave him;

But just the words he was to say he couldn't think to save him.

At last his memory came to life, like one who wakes from ether:

And trying hard to phrase each part could clearly compass neither.

"My friends," said he, in accents loud, as voters clustered round him

To jeer him or to cheer him, to sustain him or confound him,

"Tom Jones must go to congress, and by our votes we'll send him;

If every man will vote for Tom, and every effort lend him,

We can elect our candidate and carry all this section;

And Tom'll support knavery and prevent the insurrection."

—Jotter Scribbling.

Spirits

"Spirits" is a curious word—very old and aged in the wood.

The eighteenth amendment drove spirits out, the ouija board brought them back.

Spirits may be a morning "constitutional" that are unconstitutional.

Spirits may lie around the house in disembodied form; but the minute spirits take on "body" they are under the government ban.

Spirits like a politician over the ouija board, but spirits, too, are the great truth tellers—in vino veritas.

CHICKEN DINNER SUNDAY

At the IDEAL RESTAURANT opposite the People's Bank. Everything clean and sanitary
Give Us a Trial and You Will Come Often.

Do spirits come back? Will they? Is rather the important question.—Cartoons Magazine.

The Itinerant Buck

It looked right round and shiny,

This silver buck so gay.

We coaxed it to our homestead,

Just hoping it would stay.

We tried to make it welcome

And feel itself at home,

But I guess 'twas kinda lonesome

And wanted for to room.

We're just as kind as we can be

To the bucks that come our way,

Yet somehow we can't keep them,

They sorta drift away.

Some day we hope to find one

A buck that wants to stay

And live with us forever,

Forever and a day.

—Cartoons Magazine.

The Gloom Chaser

(On receiving a circular inviting to subscribe to Cartoons Magazine.)

'Twas on December first I got

A letter by the mail,

When envelopes are apt to shed

Long bills that make one pale.

When "Please Remit" and "Overdue"

Are words that greet my eye,

And I consult my check book stubs

With many a deep drawn sigh.

On this glad day, strange to relate,

'Twas not a bill I found,

But something which in colored art

Made my sad heart rebound.

An elephant's depicted there,

With two kids standing by;

They've fed him heaps of peanuts

til

The poor beast's awful dry.

And then I saw 'twas but an ad:

I read it to the end,

And it convinced me that I ought

Three dollars more expend.

So on the first of every month

When bills pour in that day,

Cartoons with humor, wit and art

Will chase my blues away.

—Cartoons Magazine.

The Shadows

'Fraid o' de shadders?—

Tell 'em howdy do!

An' lissen, it'll chillun,

What de Fire say ter you:

"It's me makes de shadders

What dance on the wall,

Go ter sleep, my chillun,

Whilist I singing ter you all!"

'Fraid o' de Night Win'?—

Hidin' o' yo' head?

He can't find de chillun

W'en dey kivered up in bed!

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR

Hon. Doreen E. Fletcher, senior senator from Florida in the National Congress is a candidate for re-election, subject to the action of the voters in the Democratic primary to be held June 8, 1920. Mr. Fletcher has been the ablest representative Florida ever had in the United States Senate.

FOR GOVERNOR



LINCOLN HULLEY
The People's Candidate for Governor. Give him your first choice vote. He is for All the People All the Time.—Adv.


Hon. Cary A. Hardee, of Live Oak, Fla., former Speaker of the House of Representatives in the Florida legislature, is a candidate for governor, and is running on a platform that means something to the people of this great commonwealth.

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL OF STATE OF FLORIDA

Hon. James E. Calkins, of Fernandina, Florida, is a candidate for the office of Attorney General of the State of Florida, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held June 8, 1920.

RIVERS H. BUFORD

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(Paid Political Advertisement).

FOR STATE SENATOR

I hereby announce as a candidate for the State Senate from the 19th District, comprising Osceola, Orange and Seminole counties, and I earnestly solicit the support of all Democrats in the Democratic primary to be held June 8th. I have served Osceola county in the State Legislature the last three sessions and I respectfully refer to my record there.

If elected I will serve the district to the best of my ability.

N. C. DRYAN,
Kissimmee, Florida.

To the Democratic Voters of the Nineteenth Senatorial District:

I have entered the race for State Senator from the 19th Senatorial district comprising the counties of Orange, Seminole and Osceola and pledge myself to abide by your action in the Democratic primary to be held June 8th. If elected I will give my best efforts to the people I represent.

M. O. OVERSTREET.

FOR SHERIFF

We are authorized to announce the name of G. C. "Clover" Outlaw, as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Osceola County, subject to the wishes of the Democratic voters in the June primary election.

Young Tindall announces himself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Osceola County, subject to the Democratic primary, and solicits the vote of every Democrat in the county.

L. R. Farmer, former deputy sheriff in Osceola county and other Florida counties, is a candidate for Sheriff of Osceola county, and will appreciate the votes in the June primary. He will meet all voters who do not already know him in this county before the day of election.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE

At the earnest solicitation of my many friends, I have decided to make the race for County Judge of Osceola County, subject to the Democratic primary of June 8th, 1920.

I will strive, if elected, to perform the duties of the office efficiently, courteously and impartially.

GEORGE W. FOX.

FOR COUNTY TAX COLLECTOR

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of County Tax Collector for Osceola County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held June 8, 1920. If elected I promise to do my duty to the best of my ability.

Z. BASS.

FOR COUNTY TAX COLLECTOR

J. Earle Luper is a candidate for County Tax Collector of Osceola county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held June 8, 1920. He is qualified for the position and will appreciate your vote.

FOR COUNTY TAX COLLECTOR

I take this method of announcing my candidacy for re-nomination to the office of Tax Collector of Osceola County in the primary to be held on June 8th. Since being in this office I have devoted my whole time to the office, not engaging in any other business of any kind. If re-nominated, I promise the same careful and personal attention to its duties as in the past. I solicit your vote and influence and assure you that it will be very much appreciated.

C. L. RANDY.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR

I wish to announce to the people of Osceola County that I am a candidate for re-election to the office of County Tax Assessor. During the time I have held this important office, I have endeavored to render efficient service, and if re-elected shall continue so. I thank you sincerely for the favors accorded me in the past and again solicit your vote and support in the primary on June 8, 1920.

WAL. I. BARBER.

FOR PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

I am a candidate for County Prosecuting Attorney for Osceola County, Florida, in the Primary election to be held June 8th, 1920.

If elected I pledge myself to faithfully and diligently discharge the duties of the office without fear or favor.

MILTON FLEDGER.

For Member of the County School Board for the St. Cloud District

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for member of the County School Board for the St. Cloud District, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, June 8. Your vote will be appreciated.

H. H. HULL.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of County Commissioner for District No. 2. If elected I promise to discharge the duties of the office to the very best of my ability.

J. M. HANSELL.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of County Commissioner from the Fifth District, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held on June 8th.

J. H. BAISDEN.

For County School Board

I hereby announce my candidacy for County Commissioner of District No. 5, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held on the 8th day of June, A. D. 1920.

If I am elected I will endeavor to serve the public faithfully and efficiently, and I earnestly solicit the support of the voters in said district.

L. S. JOHNS.

For County School Board

We are authorized to announce General J. B. Raper as a candidate for member of the County School Board from the St. Cloud district, subject to the action of the voters in the primary on June 8th.

We are authorized to announce the name of Joe R. Johnston as a candidate for County Surveyor, subject to the action of the Democratic primary of June 8th. Your vote will be appreciated.

MORE TRUTH THAN POETRY

My friend, Dr. Schley

When persons of paramount wealth Suspected the sinister truth: To wit: That their bodily health Was not what it was in their youth. And, being uncares to die This side of a hundred and three, They hurried to Wilberforce Schley, A. M., Ph. D., and M. D.

The eminent Wilberforce Schley, A. M., Ph. D., and M. D., Was a prosperous specialist guy. Who charged you a whole of a fee, But people would flock to the Doc And cheerfully pay him the price, For he never gave patients a shock By any unpleasant advice.

He would say to an elderly man, "Outdoor life will help you a lot, Go hunting whenever you can, Play tennis, or cruise in a yacht. He'd observe to an over-fed dame, With a soothing, professional smile: "You need some good vigorous game; Why don't you try golf for a while?"

Said I to the doctor one day: "It seems just a little bit strange That you tell all your patients to play. Why not prescribe work for a change "Tut, tut!" he replied, "God forbid That doctors should never do that; They all would get well, if we did, And leave us great specialists flat."

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City Delinquent Tax Notice

Notice is hereby given that the following described lands, or so much thereof as will be necessary to pay the amount due for taxes heretofore and to be paid, will be sold at public auction on the seventh day of June, A. D. 1920, at 12 o'clock noon, at the City Hall, Saint Cloud, Florida:

Lot	Block	Name of Owner	Total Taxes
8-9-10	2	Pilot, Daisy	89.25
1	1	Duffy, J. P.	1.33
2	1	Riker, Henry	1.33
3	1	Phillips, Mrs. Ella	5.73
4	1	Adams, W. L.	3.97
5	1	Unknown	2.21
6	1	Unknown	2.21
7	1	O'Haver, W. E.	3.31
8	1	Stewart, S. G.	13.65
9	1	Stewart, S. G.	3.97
10	1	Todd, Mrs. E. T.	3.97
11	1	Public, W. L.	1.33
12	1	Biggs, Mrs. J. H.	1.33
13	1	French, E. J.	2.21
14	1	Belcher, A. W.	3.97
15	1	Stodler, H. C.	2.21
16	1	Hall, H. C.	1.33
17	1	Plynn, Mrs. C. H.	1.33
18	1	Mills, P.	1.33
19	1	Stewart, S. G.	1.33
20	1	Emley, Mrs. Lydia	1.33
21	1	Pease, E. J.	1.33
22	1	Planchaugh, D.	1.33
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IS ANYBODY'S BUSINESS

Is it anybody's business
If a gentleman should dine
To wait upon a lady
If the lady don't refuse
Or, to speak a little plainer
That my meaning all may know,
Is it anybody's business
If a lady has a beau?
Is it anybody's business
When the gentleman does call,
Or when he leaves the lady,
Or if he leaves at all;
Or is it necessary
That the curtain should be drawn
To protect from further trouble
The outside lookers-on?

A Virginia hospital unit noticed a six-foot negro with a huge foot swathed in bandages. "Well, boy, does the foot command officer cheerfully."
"Hush!" cried the negro indignantly. "Why, Kummel, for you but as much as that foot but's me, you'd have tuh be shot clear up to de waist."
—American Legion.

Large Enterprise

(From the Washington Star)
A busy statesman in distress
Remarked: "The country I must save,
And uplift nations, more or less—
It's hard to make the world behave!"

"So halt your colloquies with Mars!

So heavy is my present task,
To broaden it among the stars
At present is too much to ask!"

Let's settle

this right now!

No man ever smoked a better cigarette than Camels

You'll find Camels unequalled by any cigarette in the world at any price because Camels combine every feature that can make a cigarette supreme!

Camels expert blend of choice Turkish and choice Domestic tobaccos puts Camels in a class by themselves. Their smoothness will appeal to you, and permit you to smoke liberally without tiring your taste!

Camels leave no unpleasant cigarette aftertaste nor unpleasant cigarette odor!

You'll prefer Camels blend to either kind of tobacco smoked straight!

Camels are sold everywhere in scientifically sealed packages of 20 cigarettes, or ten packages (200 cigarettes) in a glassine-paper-covered carton. We strongly recommend this carton for the home or office supply or when you travel.

R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co.
Winston-Salem, N. C.

Camel

CIGARETTES

A SOUTH FLORIDA MAN SHOULD

Be Elected

ATTORNEY GENERAL OF FLORIDA

1. Because under the present grossly unjust apportionment of the state South Florida is not fairly represented in the legislature.

2. Because South Florida is bearing a very large part of the tax burden of the state but has scant representation in the passage of tax laws and the appropriation of tax money.

3. Because the attorney general is a member of the Drainage Board that conducts the great drainage operations in South Florida, and four out of five of the members of the present Drainage Board live on a straight line from Jacksonville to Pensacola—a majority of the board living west of Tallahassee—and the office of the Chief Drainage Engineer is Tallahassee.

4. Because the drainage work is a South Florida project financed entirely by a local South Florida tax on the land, yet the Everglades section has NO REPRESENTATION on the Drainage Board or on the Board of Trustees that holds the title to the state's South Florida lands and can convey that title if they see fit.

5. Because the Everglades section should have at least ONE VOTE on the board that is spending millions of dollars of South Florida tax money on a South Florida project.

6. Because the South Florida candidate for Attorney General is one of the pioneers in the drainage work, and is familiar with every detail of it.

Vote for Your Own Interests

J. L. BILLINGSLEY

of Miami

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL

Experienced in all Branches of State Government

IN PRAISE OF THE GROUCHFACE

(By Dr. Frank Crane)

I would speak a word for the Grouchface. He is a much maligned one.

We are exhorted in all uplift literature to go on smiling, to look pleasant and to keep the corners of the orbicularis

laris oris continually pulled towards the ears.

Thus, it is claimed, shall we add to the sum of human happiness, relieve the pressure and help along.

But—

There's another side to this matter. Anything can be overdone as the book agent said when he was kicked downstairs and then arrested by a policeman for disturbing the peace.

And you have known instances where the stuffer got on your nerves, nuss pa?

There was a man come in my office yesterday to sell me a stock in the Fly-bright Oil Company. He smote when he entered, he smote all the time he was talking to me, he certainly appeared tickled to death to meet me, he basked in my greatness, he was genial beyond belief, and he went out just in time, for a little more pleasantness, a couple more smiles, and I would have gone to the electric chair with his benevolent blood on my hands.

I bought a suit of clothes the other day of a smiling salesman. He was so sunny I got freckles. And prickly heat. It was a relief to meet my old friend Bill on the sidewalk. Bill always looked just like he had just hit his mother. Really he is restful. He never smiles, except under protest.

When you run across Bill he is liable to stop you and whisper hoarsely, "I love rainy days. I want to see the hospital full. I hate sunshine. I want war and debts. I'm agin the League of Nations. I love weak women and strong drink. Down with prohibition. I am a Bolshevik!" Yet all the while you know he is the kindest, gentlest soul imaginable.

He is a reversed hypocrite. Most people conceal their bad traits. Bill conceals his good ones. So he averages up the world very nicely.

Then there is the smiling young miss, and the grinning dowager, the ingratiating smirk of the beggar, the professional gentility of the parson, the imitation good nature of the society lady, the gleam of white teeth, the confidence man flashes at you from beneath his black mustache. Wolves smile. And the devil smiles.

Where I like to see smile is in the eyes. You can fool me with your lips, but not with your eyes.

Give me, therefore, a good, wholesome Grouchface, a Sourball, a face marked by griminess and indigestion, a fierce mouth and—a twinkle in the eye. That is the kind of man I'll pick to go fishing with.

To go back to Old Bill. Everything he does is under protest. But he does it. And the unctuous and charming George W. Caccharin is in favor of everything. Oh, most enthusiastic, and never does anything.

Not for me l'homme qui rit. Nor if he has a bad eye, in any case.

The best comedians are funereal. The villain chortles.

Moral: Be pleasant, but not too for everlastingly pleasant.

Old Bill has a way of asking his wife to pass the butter. "Pass the butter, Face. Wall." Which is an abbreviation for "If you do not pass the butter at once I will push your face against the wall." Sounds brutal, doesn't it? But she laughs and comes over and kisses him, and he growls, and she calls him her precious darling old bear. She says he is the most even tempered man in the world—always mad.

THE WRATH OF AMERICA

Let fools and madmen, who destroy, beware

The patriot wrath of roused America. The giant waited long ere war, until the cup overflowed, the smote the kaiser hip

And thigh—across three thousand miles of sea.

Think you to 'scape that arm, in your dark dens.

On his familiar soil? 'Twill reach and seize

You whether you lurk and plot, and shake

All treasonous necks as well-fanged dogs foul rats.

The searchlights play each hour unrestingly.

And they will find offenders, pierce disguise.

Though masked in honest labor's clothes or decked

With gold and gems that lawless plunder holds.

Here freedom lives and thrives and gives you more

Than elsewhere all the varied earth provides.

It showers the privilege to be a man—ser hip and tao

CRAY TIMES

Strike and the world strikes with you, work and you work alone; our souls are ablaze with a bolshevik craze, the wildest ever was known. Groan and there'll be a chorus, smile and you make no hit; for we've grown long hair and we preach despair, and show you a daily fit. Spend and the gang will cheer you, save and you have no friend; for we throw our backs to the birds and ducks, and borrow from all who'll lend. Knock and you'll be a winner, boast and you'll be a frost; for the same ways of the pre-war days, are now from the program lost. Strike and the world strikes with you, work and you work alone; for we'd rather yell and keep raising Hannibal, Mo., than strive for an honest bone, Rant and you are a leader, toll and you are a nut; 'twas a bitter day when we pulled away from the old time workaday rut. Wait and there'll be a blow-up, watch and you'll see a slump; and the fads and crimes of these crazy times will go to the nation's dump.—Walt Mason.

The New Shopper

"Please give me enough money for car fare, dad."

"Surely, but where are you going?"

"Shopping!"—Cartoons Magazine.

RECEPTION AT KISSIMEE FOR WOMAN'S IMPROVEMENT CLUB

The Mothers' Club of Kissimmee delightfully entertained the Woman's Improvement club of this city at a reception at the Hotel Kissimmee.

The ladies of the improvement club were very cordially received by Mrs. Frupp, the president, and her corps of officers and other members of the club. After a social hour a most pleasing program was rendered, consisting of violin and piano and vocal music, several exceptionally fine readings were given, two by several members of the club, which were heartily enjoyed. Mrs. Frupp gave an address of welcome and Mrs. Hendrix of the improvement club responded. Dr. Cushman gave a talk on Citizenship and advised the clubs of Kissimmee to organize a class in citizenship as soon as possible. Mr. Williams addressed the club in the interest of the Baptist hospital and asked the improvement club to join with other organizations in securing this much needed institution. At the close of this very pleasing program the ladies were invited out on the lawn to partake of delicious refreshments consisting of cakes and punch. Now that the Mothers' club has set the ball rolling it is to be hoped these pleasant meetings will continue to be of frequent occurrence.

ONE MORE GOOD CITIZEN FOR ST. CLOUD

Mrs. Thomas Hodge and children from Ingram, Pa., has joined Mr. Hodge, who came here a few months ago and bought several lots at Jersey and 7th street. Mr. Hodge has been busy ever since, has set out about 200 trees, cleared up the ground, and put in a variety of vegetables, trimmed his old trees, remodeled the house, joined the 10,000 club and is showing that he is interested in the growth and prosperity of the town. St. Cloud needs more of that class of citizens.

MY CROCUS

(From the London Daily Mail)

My crocus, mine in very truth,
Dear product of our balmy days,
With all the pretty swank of youth,
Beseeches me to stand at gaze,
And, not unmoved, I take my umpteenth view,
Of that old miracle, forever new.

Did I not say a while ago

That there was springtime in the air,
Whatever calendars might show?
And now behold him glowing there,
A loyal fellow who has come to birth
To show my casual prophesies have worth.

Along my neighbor's border, shy

Fair maid of February stand
Like little nuns, each modest eye
Downcast upon the grave, brown land,
But like a bold adventurer in the fight
My yellow crocus yearns toward the light.

Alas! brave lad, that we must part.

Rude sparrows, to thy beauty blind,
Shall rifle all the golden heart,
Leaving a mournful wreck behind,
Yet shalt thou fall, like many a noble one.

Thy message given and thy duty done!

—Touchstone.

Pointed Paragraphs

Probably it is because the earth is round that so few people act on the square.

Nothing is made in vain except the extremely fashionable girl—she is a maiden vain.

What has become of the old fashioned girl who, when a love affair went wrong pined away and died?

Our ruling passions are apt to remain with us until the end. The last movement a male affirms is a kick. Some writer has said that as a rule preachers are not witty. Perhaps this may be due to the fact that brevity is the sole of wit.

Even when a woman is aware that she is less beautiful than other women she never forgives a man for knowing it, too.

"Smile when you can" says a poet. That's all right, but why didn't he confer an everlasting favor on humanity by telling us how to smile when we can't.

Though a woman's seldom able

To change a bill, you'll find,
No matter if she's bankrupt,
She can always change her mind.

Brain-Rationer, 1921

In 1921 the National Thought Rationer will allow each American one new idea a year.

Beefsteak parties must turn in dictaphone records of their conversations; the machines will be supplied free by the government.

No "movie" shall contain anything in their titles prejudicial to the party in power, or the administrators of that power.—Cartoons Magazine.

The railway conductor has troubles of his own without worrying about his wife's train.

Beauty Is Reflected

in Health

"Good-Looking" Means the Opposite of Sick-Looking

IT'S A MATTER OF RED BLOOD CELLS

Pepto-Mangan Makes Rich, Red Blood Builds Up People Who Lack Vitality

If your body is sound and your blood is rich and red, your acts and thoughts will be quick and strong.

Let your blood get weak, and your food won't nourish you nor your sleep refresh you.

Too much hard work, an illness, or a mental strain can thin down your blood, and Pepto-Mangan is needed to bring it back to healthy, normal condition.

Knowing this, doctors for years have recommended Gude's Pepto-Mangan because of its blood-building and tonic properties.

Pepto-Mangan is such a simple and harmless tonic, yet such a prompt builder of red blood, that its reputation has spread all over the country. Today every druggist sells it and thousands of men and women use it as a restorative whenever they or their children seem to feel below par.

Pepto-Mangan agrees with the most delicate stomach, and is obtainable in either liquid or tablet form.

Be sure the name "Gude's" is on the package when you buy Pepto-Mangan. Ask the druggist for "Gude's". If "Gude's" is not on the package, it is not Pepto-Mangan.—Adv.

FOR SALE—Rabbits, Belgian Hares, P. Raynor, 416 Minnesota Ave. 1p

FOR SALE—One Jersey milch cow at 624 Mass Ave. 1f



I am a candidate for State Senator from 19th District comprising Osceola, Orange and Seminole counties, and will appreciate your vote and support.

N. C. BRYAN,
Kissimmee, Fla.

Zoological

'Tis quite sublime to sit upon a rock
Beside the turbid waters of the Nile,
And look upon the very wary Croc-

Odi!

Or, if you would prefer some other spot.

You can survey without the slightest fuss

That awful monstrous form, the Hippopot-

Amus!

Again, if you should be as bold as brass

With courage of a missionary,
You might, perchance, prefer the feathered Cas-

Owary!

But, if for them you do not care a cuss,

Just cast your eye upon the parlor mat,

And there most probably you'll see the Fuss-

Yent!

—Cartoons Magazine.

The Snitching Hour

An Indianapolis savant has made a study of that strange disease, nocturnal volubility, and finds that men are much more given to it than women; also that the curve of rationality rises much more abruptly in the case of the male sex; that while the conversation of women becomes a strange melange of "georgettes" and "teddybears" and "gimps" and things, men talk more or less connectedly of "slaying in," and "drawing to a flush" and "pat hands." The time curve, on the other hand, rises more slowly in the case of men, the male scarcely ever giving up the secrets of his inner life before three o'clock. Say he crawls through the cellar window at 2:55 a. m.; it will be full 3:15 before he arrives at a state of extreme volubility.—Cartoons Magazine.

FOR RENT—Fire-proof garage with concrete floor, located in business section. See S. W. Porter.

FOR SALE—Lot 2 in Block 220, also Lot 16, S. 19, T. 26, R. 31, A. M. Augensen, 515 N. 4th Ave., Maywood, Ill.

WANTED—Wood stove in good condition, price and location. 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

WILL BUY your vacant lots and five-acre tracts. If price is right. Address P. O. Box 524, Orlando, Fla.

FOR SALE—As I will leave town on June 1st for the summer, I am offering for sale on corner of Massachusetts avenue and Fifth street a nice lot of corn (100x150 feet) one hundred hills pumpkins and thirty hills watermelons, all growing nicely. Take a look at this crop and make me an offer for the whole of it. See Henry Gattiff, corner Kentucky avenue and 7th

WANTED—Woman or girl to do house work one day a week. Apply to Mrs. Riddle, Florida and 8th. 1f

An Opportunity To Brighten Up

Brightening up the home is one of the chief pleasures of the housewife. A bright, cheerful home makes for contentment and comfort.

There are marred and scratched pieces of furniture—the worn floor and stair treads—the woodwork, which needs refinishing—the ice chest—the kitchen cabinet and many other places about the home can be brightened up with

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AN ORDINANCE

An Ordinance Relating to the Salary of the Clerk and Collector of the City of St. Cloud, Florida.

Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of St. Cloud, Florida:

Section 1. That the annual salary of the Clerk and Collector shall be fifteen Hundred Dollars and payable monthly.

Sec. 2. That all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Read and upon unanimous consent read the second and third times and passed this 10th day of May, A. D. 1920.

B. F. RALLS,
President of the Council.

Attest:

FRED B. KENNEY, City Clerk.

Approved this 10th day of May, 1920.

B. F. RALLS, Mayor.

AN ORDINANCE

An Ordinance Amending Section 10 of the Revised Ordinances of St. Cloud, Florida, Changing the Salary of the Mayor.

Be It Ordained by the Council of the City of St. Cloud, Florida:

Section 1. That Section 10 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of St. Cloud, Florida, be and the same are hereby changed to read as follows: 10. The annual salary of the Mayor shall be two hundred and forty dollars and payable monthly.

Read and upon unanimous consent read the second and third times and passed this 10th day of May, 1920.

B. F. RALLS,
President of the Council.

Attest:

FRED B. KENNEY, City Clerk.

Approved this 10th day of May, 1920.

B. F. RALLS, Mayor.